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PATENT: Mail Stop AF
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 09981.0007-01

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:)
Miodrag CEKIC, et al.) Group Art Unit: 2881
Application No.: 10/632,893) Examiner: Phillip A. Johnston
Filed: August 4, 2003)
For: APPARATUS FOR AND) Confirmation No.: 2897
METHOD OF TREATING A)
FLUID)

Commissioner for Patents
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NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Sir:

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's decision mailed December 13, 2005.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. A Petition for extension of time to respond to the final rejection was filed on _____ extending the period for response to _____.
2. A Petition for extension of time to further extend the period for response to May 13, 2006 is enclosed together with a fee of \$450.
3. The Appeal Fee of \$500.00 (or \$250.00 if by small entity)
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 is enclosed or is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.00 OP
4. A check for \$950 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this Notice of Appeal and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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